Application No. 10/763,091 Preliminary Amendment dated

Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace the paragraph on page 28, beginning at line 4, with the following amended

paragraph:

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The end seal 20 has substantially centrally disposed hole 154 therethrough, which is substantially aligned collinearly with the substantially centrally disposed hole 14 of the seal block 12, which allows the end seal 20 to slide about the bolt 56, and vice versa. The self positioning astragal seal 10 has face seal 156, which is affixed to exterior side 158 of the face plate 78 of the seal block 20 and abuts edge 160 of active door 162, when the active door 162 is closed abuttingly against the inactive door 44, thus, preventing unwanted drafts between the self positioning astragal seal 10 and the edge 160 of the

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Please replace the paragraph on page 29, beginning at line 6, with the following amended paragraph:

active door 162. The astragal 30 may also has have or be used with edge seal 163.

The astragal 30 has may have or be used with astragal housing 180 having longitudinal channel 182, which has longitudinal retention guides 184, the elongated guide 52 inserted into the longitudinal channel 182 and held in the longitudinal channel 182 by the retention guides 184 and the set screws 148, and channel base 185, the set screws 148

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locking the elongated guide 52 into the astragal housing 180. The astragal 30 may also has have or be used with lockset strike 186, deadbolt strike 188, and upper bolt 190 mounted to the longitudinal channel 182 of the astragal housing 180, the bolt 56 and the upper bolt 190 being used to lock the astragal 30, and, thus, the inactive door 44, which 5 the astragal 30 is affixed to, to the sill 46 and the header 164, respectively, of the door frame 48. The upper bolt 190 may be used with the self positioning astragal seal 10 and/or alternatively the upper bolt 190 may use an alternative sealing means. Upper bolt assembly 191 having the upper bolt 190 is installed into the longitudinal channel 182 in substantially the same manner as the elongated guide 52. The active door 162 has lockset 192 and deadbolt 194, which are received by lockset strike 186, deadbolt strike 188, respectively, on the inactive door 44, for securing the active door 162 to the inactive door 134 when the active door 162 is closed abuttingly adjacent the inactive door 44. The astragal housing 180 has lockset cover plate 196 and deadbolt cover plate 198, which are mounted to the astragal housing 180, the lockset strike 186 and the deadbolt strike 188 being fastened to the lockset cover plate 196 and the deadbolt cover plate 198 with screws 199.

Please replace the paragraph on page 33, beginning at line 20, with the following 20 amended paragraph:

The substantially centrally disposed longitudinal channel 54 of the elongated guide 52 has arcuate sides 286 and arcuate base 288 to slidably and matingly accommodate the bolt 56, the lower portion 210 and the upper portion 214 of which are substantially cylindrical and have substantially the same diameter. The mid portion 212 of the bolt 56 is also substantially cylindrical, but has a smaller diameter than the diameter than that of either the lower portion 210 and or the upper portion 214.